

I oppose loosening the rules designed to promote and protect diversity of media ownership. These rules were adopted to ensure that the public would receive a diverse range of viewpoints from the media, and not simply the opinions of a handful of media conglomerates. The cable ownership

cap is a crucial element of our democratic media, and it should not be weakened.

The Constitutional guarantee of a Free Press only holds water if many diverse voices can reach the public. Monopolization of broadcast and print media is good for profits but bad for democracy. We desperately need exposure to others than the politically correct, the economically correct and their sycophants. No to conformity, yes to the melting pot.